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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT REGULATORY COUNCIL

OF THE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND

DISCIPLINE

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 7, 2010 at 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Division of Professional Regulation

861 Silver Lake Boulevard

Second Floor Conference Room A

Dover, Delaware

MINUTES APPROVED (October 5, 2010)

MEMBERS PRESENT

Stephen Cooper, M.D., Chair, Presiding Gregory Adams, M.D., Physician Member Nicole Fisher, PA-C, Council Member 1:30 p.m. – 1:51 p.m. Sebastian Hamilton, R.Ph, Council Member James Lust, PA-C, Council Member Pamela Manzi, PA-C, Council Member John Sullivan, PA-C, Council Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Gayle L. MacAfee, Executive Director Allison Reardon, Deputy Attorney General Jessica Williams, Administrative Specialist II

ALSO PRESENT

Paula Paul, Delaware Academy of Physician Assistants

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Cooper called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

Ms. Fisher moved, seconded by Ms. Manzi, that the July 20, 2010 minutes be approved as presented. Motion unanimously carried.

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NEW BUSINESS

Review of Physician Assistant Application(s)

Ms. Fisher moved, seconded by Mr. Sullivan, to approve the following physician assistants for ratification by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline. Motion unanimously carried.

Christina Angelini Julia Brown Travis Fogelman Sarah Kosydar Erin Lay Michael Schuh Jason Smith Gerard Stroup

Review of Prescriptive Authority Applications

The council reviewed the following Prescriptive Authority applications and took the following actions as noted below.

Controlled and Non-Controlled

Mr. Hamilton moved, seconded by Ms. Fisher, to approve the following physician assistants for Controlled and Non-Controlled Prescriptive Authority for ratification by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline. Motion passed with Ms. Manzi abstaining from Eileen DeAngelis' application as well as her own.

| Yolanda Angstadt | Marilee Brigg | Matthew Cruikshank | Colleen Davis |
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| Eileen DeAngelis | Sarah Droddy | Andrew Duckworth | Brian Duda |
| Scott Edmondson | Jason Fay | Eric Felker | Timothy Felker |
| Christopher Giaquinto | Jonathan Hirsch | Edward Knox | Pamela Manzi |
| Kristen Marra | Lisa Mazur | Otto Medinilla | Paula Paul |
| William Paynter | Patrick Phelan | Russell Queen | John Ranonis |
| Michael Schuh | Stephen Smenkowski | Jason Smith | Elizabeth Stawicki |
| Joseph Zaweski | | | |

Non-Controlled

Mr. Sullivan moved, seconded by Ms. Manzi, to approve the following physician assistant for Non-Controlled Prescriptive Authority, for ratification by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline. Motion unanimously carried.

Gerard Stroup

Other Business before the Council

There was no other business before the council.

Public Comment

Paula Paul was present to discuss physician assistants employed within the hospital settings. She was seeking guidance regarding the need to update the prescriptive authority applications. She suggested only updating the application twice a year instead of updating each and every time a supervising physician changes within the hospital. It was decided that this issue should be discussed by the Rules and Regulations Committee. It was noted that Ms. MacAfee would contact Thomas Sweeney, M.D., Department of Emergency Medicine at Christiana Care Health

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Services and Kevin D. Bristowe, M.D., Medical Director at Beebe Medical Center to provide them with the date and time of the next Rules and Regulations Committee meeting, so that they may attend.

Next Scheduled Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, October, 5, 2010 at 1:00 p.m. in the 2nd floor Conference Room "A", Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

<u>Adjournment</u>

There being no further business before the council, Mr. Hamilton moved, seconded by Ms. Manzi, to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 1:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica Williams

Administrative Specialist II

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